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Dear Sir/Madam:

Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment

This response is in reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on March 18, 2010.

In the Notice, the USPTO wrote,

The amendment document filed on 15 March, 2010 is considered non-compliant because it has failed to meet the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121 or 1.4. In order for the amendment to be compliant, correction of the following item(s) is required. . . .

4. Amendment to the claims: . . .

C. Each claim has not been provided with the proper status identifier, and as such, the individual status of each claim cannot be identified . . .

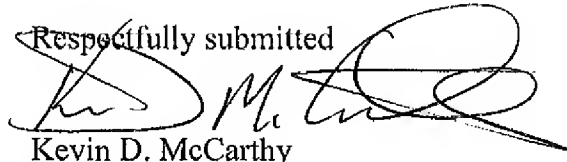
E. Other . . . Claim 15 has the wrong status identifier present, it should read previously presented.

The USPTO also wrote, if item 4 is identified and this response is an amendment submitted with a RCE submission (which it was), "the correction required is only the corrected section of the non-compliant amendment in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121."

In accordance with the USPTO rules, we are submitting the corrected claim identifier for claim 15 and re-submitting the amendments submitted on March 15, 2010.

Conclusions

It is believed this response is timely filed and the pending claims are now ready for allowance.

Respectfully submitted

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